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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Michael T. Brannock

Hon. Assistant Commissioner

December 2, 2004

for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR1.136(a))

Sir:

- 1. This is a petition to extend the period of time three (3) months for filing a response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2004.
- 2. Applicant is:

[X] a small entity

other than small entity

3.	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
[] one month [] two months [X] three months [] four months [] five months		\$ 110.00 \$ 430.00 \$ 980.00 \$1,530.00 \$2,080.00	\$ 55.00 \$215.00 \$490.00 \$765.00 \$1,040.00

Fee \$490.00

- 4. An Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.111 is filed herewith.
- 5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted.

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